PART-II

(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)

7.	Location of the Project / Scheme	:	
(i)	State/Union Territory	:	Andhra Pradesh
(ii)	District.	:	Chittoor
(iii)	Forest Division	:	Chittoor West Division, Anantapuramu Circle.
(iv)	Area of forest land proposed for Diversion (in Ha.)	:	19.90 Ha as follows;

Range	RF	Compt. Nos	Bit No.	Area in Ha	Notification no. & date
Chittoor West	Basavapalle	227	1	0.27	Notified U/s.16 vide notification in B.P.No.367, dt:21.08.1891.
Palamaner	Tekumanda	384	11	0.59	Notified U/s.15 vide GO Ms. No.308, F&RD(For-III), Dept., Dt.17.06.1981 & 1456, F&A(For.III), Dept.06.10.1971.
-do-	Palamaner	309 & 310	1 to 9	10.89	Notified U/s.16 vide notification in B.P.No.183, dt:14.05.1898.
-do-	Nagamangalam Thopu	326	10	0.32	Notified U/s.16 vide notification in B.P.No.158, dt:28.05.1885.
-do-	Pathikonda	271, 272 & 273	1 to 10	7.83	Notified U/s.16 vide notification in B.P.No.556, dt:06.12.1898.
				19.90	

(v)	Legal status of Forest	:	All Four Reserved Forests are notified U/s.16 & 15 as noted above.
(vi)	Density of Vegetation	:	Less than 0.3
(vii)	Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter Class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed. In case of irrigation/hydel projects enumeration at FRL, FRL-2 Meter & FRL-4 meter also to be enclosed).	:	The plant species existing in the area are Eucalyptus, Tamarind, Azadarichta indica (Neem), Cassia siamia (Seema thangedu), Albezzia amara (Chigara), Bamboo, Pongamia, Syzizyum cuminii (Neredu), Peltoform, Pachari, Gulmohar, etc., The details of enumeration of trees, species wise and diameter wise and their abstract statement is enclosed.
(viii)	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	:	There will be no impact of soil erosion in and around the proposed area.
(ix)	Approximate distance of proposed site for Diversion from boundary of forest	:	Just adjacent to RF boundary.

(x)	Whether forms part of National Park, Wild life sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve, elephant corridor, etc. (If so, the details of the area and comments of the Chief Wild Life Warden to be Annexed)	:	The area applied in Basavapalle & Pathikonda RFs does not fall under Sanctuary/ National Park, Biosphere reserve, Tiger Reserve, Elephant Corridor etc., But, the area in Palamaner RF was fall under Elephant Corridor i.e., Rayala Elephant Reserve declared in GO Ms.No. 106, EFS&T(For.III), Dept., dt.09.12.2003. However the road is located at a distance of about 5-6 **Kms** in Palamaner RF from the notified KWLS boundary and in other two locations it is more than 10 Kms.
(xi)	Whether any rare/endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna found in the area if so details thereof.	:	No rare/ endangered / unique endemic species of flora or fauna are found in the area.
(xii)	Whether any protected archaeological/ Heritage site /defense / establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details there of with NOC from competent authority, if required.	:	No archaeological/Heritage site / defense /establishment or any other important monument is located in the area.
8.	Whether the requirement of Forest land has proposed by the user agency in col.2 of part-I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item – wise with details of alternatives examined.	:	Yes. The requirement of the forest land as proposed by the user agency in Column No.2 of part-I is 19.90 Ha and is the barest minimum.
9.	Whether any work in violation of the act has been carried out (Yes/No). If yes, details of the same including period of work done, action taken on erring officials. Whether work in violation is still in progress.	:	No violation has taken place in the proposed area.
10	Details of Compensatory afforestation Scheme.	:	The CA Scheme has been prepared for **Rs. 318.20 Lakhs** for 46.50 (23.23x2=46.46 or 46.50) Ha of degraded forest land in Allapalle RF of Palamaner Range and the scheme is enclosed.
(i)	Details of non-forest area/degraded forest are identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch.	:	The degraded forest land identified is a single patch and is suitable for Afforestation. The proposed CA area is in Compt. No. 242 & 243 of Allapalle RF, Thotakanuma Beat, Palamaner Range of Chittoor West Division.

(ii)	Map showing non-forest/ degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest Boundaries.	:	Map enclosed
(iii)	Detailed compensatory afforestation Scheme/including species to be planted, implementing agency, time scheduled, cost structure, etc.	:	CA Scheme enclosed
(iv)	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.	:	**Rs.318.20 Lakhs**
(v)	Certificates from competent authority Regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory afforestation and from management point of view. (to be signed by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests).	:	Enclosed
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col.7 (xi,xii), 8 & 9 above.	:	The site inspection report of the Divisional Forest Officer, Chittoor West dt: 31.08.2017 highlighting the details required in Col. 7 (xi, xii), 8 and 9 is enclosed.
12	**Division/District profile**		
(i)	Geographical area of the district	:	**1515200 Ha**
(ii)	Forest area of the district.	:	**452167 Ha**
(iii)	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	:	**Chittoor West Division:** **31 Cases – 190.282 Ha was diverted.**
(iv)	Total Compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district/division since 1980 on.		
(a)	Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation.	:	**Forest Land diverted : 86.342 Ha** **Penal CA Land : 373.515 Ha** **TOTAL: : 459.857 Ha**
(b)	Non-forest forest land.	:	**328.85 Ha**
(v)	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on 31.08.2017.		
(a)	Forest land.	:	459.183 Ha (in degraded forest including Penal/ Addl. CA).
(b)	Non-forest land	:	327.350 Ha

13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance of otherwise of the proposals with reasons.	:	Recommended for consideration

Date: 3/9/17

Place: Chittoor.

Signature

Name

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3/9/17